

Educational Qualification Requirements

Name of Candidate _____ Date _____

Position interviewing for _____

Email address _____ Phone # _____

Documentation

Listed are the educational requirements for each position.

1. Check position candidate is interviewing for
2. Check met requirements
3. If candidate meets educational requirements, continue with interview
4. If candidate does not meet educational requirements, inform candidate of unmet educational qualifications and establish an educational plan with candidate's potential supervisor

Center Aide

- High School Diploma or GED

Teacher Aide Trainee

- High School Diploma or GED &
 36 hours-Introduction to the Child Care Profession

Teacher Aide-Infant Toddler

- High School Diploma or GED &
 20 hours- Fundamentals of Infant and Toddler Care &
 36 hours- Introduction to the Child Care Profession

Teacher Assistant-Associate Teacher-PS or IT

- High School Diploma or GED &
 20 hours-Fundamentals of Infant and Toddler Care **AND/OR**
 36 hours- Introduction to the Child Care Profession **AND/OR**
 40 hours-Skills and Strategies for the Child Care Teacher (Associate Teacher requires Intro & Skills and Strategies classes be taken)
 CDA- (Current) Child Development Associate Credential

Infant-Toddler Teacher

- High School Diploma or GED &
 20 hour- Fundamentals of Infant and Toddler Care (State Licensing) &
 36 hours- Introduction to the Child Care Profession (State Licensing) &
 40 hours- Skills and Strategies for the Child Care Teacher (State Licensing) &
 Associate's degree-ECE, CD, **OR**
 Bachelor's Degree-ECE or CD, **OR**
 Advanced/graduate degree –ECE or CD **OR**
 Related Degree-ECE: EEN that includes 18 credits in ECE or 18 additional hours of ECE. It is desirable to possess or secure an Infant Toddler Credential **OR**
 Related Degree-Child and Family Studies with an emphasis on child studies that includes 18 credit hours in ECE, or a composite of 18 credits from the degree and pre/post study. Must obtain the Infant/Toddler Credential **OR**
 Related Degree-Pediatric Nursing or Social Work plus: 18 ECE credits and must obtain the 12 credit "Infant Toddler Credential" **AND**
Experience:
 Lead Teacher-2 years in an early care and education setting
 Teacher-1 year in an early care and education setting

